

Table 1. Summary of Willapa Bay gillnet fisheries for 2007

Date and Time	Area	Miscellaneous requirements and gear restrictions: Drift gill net gear only. It is unlawful to use set net gear
Sept. 16, 6:00 pm, through Sept. 21, 6:00 pm	Area 2G east of a line drawn true south from the most waterward exposed end of the rock jetty located near Washaway Beach, Area 2H west of Willapa Channel Marker 40, Area 2J north of a true east-west line drawn through the North Entrance Marker to the Nahcotta Boat Basin (RF #2), and Area 2M	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ●6-inch maximum mesh, no more than 55 meshes deep. Net must hang straight from top to bottom Strings may only be used to secure breakaway panels ●Quick Reporting required ● RETENTION OF GREEN STURGEON PROHIBITED
Sept. 19, 6:00 pm, through Sept. 20, 6:00 pm and Sept. 27, 6:00 pm, through Sept. 28, 6:00 pm	Area 2K	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ●6-inch maximum mesh, no more than 55 meshes deep. Net must hang straight from top to bottom Strings may only be used to secure breakaway panels ●Quick Reporting required ● RETENTION OF GREEN STURGEON PROHIBITED
Sept. 23, 6:00 pm, through Sept. 28, 6:00 pm	Area 2G east of a line drawn true south from the most waterward exposed end of the rock jetty located near Washaway Beach, Area 2H , Area 2J north of a true east-west line drawn through the North Entrance Marker to the Nahcotta Boat Basin (RF #2), and Area 2M	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ●6-inch maximum mesh, no more than 55 meshes deep. Net must hang straight from top to bottom Strings may only be used to secure breakaway panels ●Quick Reporting required ● RETENTION OF GREEN STURGEON PROHIBITED
October 1, 6:00 am through, 6:00 pm October 2, 6:00 am through, 6:00 pm October 3, 6:00 am through, 6:00 pm October 4, 6:00 am through, 6:00 pm October 5, 6:00 am through, 6:00 pm October 6, 6:00 am through, 6:00 pm October 7, 6:00 am through, 6:00 pm	Area 2G east of a line drawn true south from the most waterward exposed end of the rock jetty located near Washaway Beach, Area 2H , Area 2J north of a true east-west line drawn through the North Entrance Marker to the Nahcotta Boat Basin (RF #2), and Area 2M	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ●6-inch maximum mesh, no more than 55 meshes deep. Net must hang straight from top to bottom Strings may only be used to secure breakaway panels ●Quick Reporting required ● RETENTION OF GREEN STURGEON PROHIBITED

<p>October 8, 7:00 am through, 7:00 pm</p> <p>October 9, 7:00 am through, 7:00 pm</p> <p>October 10, 7:00 am through, 7:00 pm</p> <p>October 11, 7:00 am through, 7:00 pm</p>	<p>Area 2G west of a line drawn true north-south through Willapa Channel Marker 10 and east of a line projected true south from the most waterward exposed end of the rock jetty located near Washaway Beach but excluding the area southerly and easterly of a line from Island Sands Light to Ramsey Point, Area 2J north of a true east-west line drawn through the North Entrance Marker to the Nahcotta Boat Basin (RF #2), and Area 2M</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 6 ½-inch maximum mesh, no more than 55 meshes deep. Net must hang straight from top to bottom Strings may only be used to secure breakaway panels ● Quick Reporting required ● RETENTION OF GREEN STURGEON PROHIBITED
<p>November 12, 6:00 pm, through November 16, 6:00 pm</p>	<p>Area 2G east of a line drawn true south from the most waterward exposed end of the rock jetty located near Washaway Beach, Area 2H west of Willapa Channel Marker 40, Area 2J north of a true east-west line drawn through the North Entrance Marker to the Nahcotta Boat Basin (RF #2), and Area 2M</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● either 6-inch maximum mesh or 9-inch maximum mesh (only choose one), no more than 55 meshes deep. Net must hang straight from top to bottom Strings may only be used to secure breakaway panels ● Quick Reporting required ● RETENTION OF GREEN STURGEON PROHIBITED
<p>November 5, Noon through November 30, Noon</p>	<p>Areas 2G, 2H, 2J and 2M</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● 9-inch minimum mesh ● Quick Reporting required ● RETENTION OF GREEN STURGEON PROHIBITED

QUICK REPORTING and NOTICE OF INTENT:

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The table above is a brief summary of the commercial fishing season for Willapa Bay during 2007; it is to be used as a quick reference and is in no way intended to be complete. For additional information or questions, please contact Barbara McClellan at 360/249-4628.